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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 26th October 2013 – 08:00, 27th October 2013

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	14	—	14	Israeli forces assaulted 13 residents as they temporarily detained them near the wall gate in Qalqiliya and assaulted another resident in Bethlehem.
Detention	8	—	8	2 in Ramallah, 1 in Qalqiliya and 5 in Hebron including a child and a National security Officer.
Temporary Detention	14	—	14	At checkpoints and residential areas including 5 National Security officers.
Raids	14	—	14	3 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 2 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	—	5	, Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	18	—	18	3 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 2 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 2 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 6 in Hebron.
Attack	5	2	7	1 during Raid, 41 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 2 from Naval Vessel.
Home Occupation	2	—	2	Israeli forces occupied homes and converted their rooftops into military posts in Jenin and Hebron.
Destruction of Property	6	—	6	Israeli forces damaged 3 vehicles in Jenin, Israeli settlers damaged several Olive trees in Tulkarem, set fire to 70 Olive trees and uprooted 20 Olive trees in Bethlehem
Wall Construction	—	—	—	Wall construction is halted for Sabbath holidays.
Closure (per District)	8	—	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	78	—	78	Including 8 in Ramallah, 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 25 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	7	7	All border Crossings are closed.
Obstruction of Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli forces closed Al-Ibrahimi mosque and prevented the call for prayer from the afternoon of October 25th 2013 until 21:00 on October 26th 2013 for alleged Israeli celebration of Jewish holiday.
Settler Violence	3	—	3	Israeli settlers assaulted a resident in Ramallah; Israeli settlers damaged several Olive trees in Tulkarem. set fire to 70 Olive trees and uprooted 20 Olive trees in Bethlehem.
TOTAL	179	9	185	

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<p style="text-align: center;">JERUSALEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli army continues to intensify their restrictions at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshippers under the age of 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the ‘demarcation area’ along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits. (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Ikhsa villages. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba’ village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikhsa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a “border crossing point” and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city and at 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeding the free flow of traffic. (ii) On September 19th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu’fat camp and impeding the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 10:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Biddu and Al-Jib village. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. (ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction was halted in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za’ayem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma’ale Adumim for Sabbath Holiday.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAMALLAH & AL BIREH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and ‘Ein Samiya villages. (ii) Since September 3rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the north east entrance of Al-Mughier village with dirt mounds. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 21:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ni’lin, ordered the opening of the headquarters of the Palestinian Petroleum Agency in order to view surveillance footage then withdrew at a later time. (ii) At 21:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Silwad bridge, detained a child (Jaser Adnan Jaser 17 years) then withdrew at 01:00.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 02:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh city and Al-Amari camp in Al-Berih city until 03:15. (ii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Ras Kar Kar village detained Muhammad Saleh Nerate. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 11:00, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Mughier village, assaulted Yasser Al-Na'san leaving him hospitalised with contusions. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction was halted in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages for Sabbath holiday.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. (ii) Since the evening of November 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad. • <u>Raid:</u> At 22:50, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad, clashed with its residents, damaged 3 vehicles owned by Ahmad Kilani, Ahmad Abu Bakr and Mohammad Hamarsheh then withdrew at 02:35. • <u>Home Occupation:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces stormed Ya'bad, occupied NNahed Abu Bakrs home and converted its rooftop into a military post, clashed with several residents then withdrew at a later time. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 21:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Sur until 21:45. (ii) At 22:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jabara village junction until 22:15. • <u>Raid:</u> At 11:30, Israeli forces raided Attil, opened random fire, temporarily detained 6 residents, Lu'ay Daqa, Layth Abu Khalil, Mohammad Abu Khalil, Khaled Al-Tabib, Mohammad Aloush and Ahmad Salem then released them at 15:30. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 10:10, Israeli settlers stormed Ras Al-Ghars area located in Beit Lid and damaged several tree limbs then withdrew at 12:35. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town. (ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 19:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Immatin village.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> At 21:30, Israeli forces raided Azzun. • <u>Detention:</u> At 15:15, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in Azzun Atma detained Rabi Al-Rabi (National Security Officer –Medical Unit). • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:30, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate of Azzun Atma temporarily detained 13 residents as they attempted to cross the wall gate into Israel during which Israeli forces assaulted them then released them at 23:00. (ii) At 22:50, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate of Azzun Atma temporarily detained Munir Yusef (A Preventive Security Officer) with his family members and released them at a later time. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and search civilians, including students, using a metal detector. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al- Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the gate at the entrance to the village of Ras Atiya; the Israeli army only allows students to cross to their schools outside the village through the Habla gate. • <u>Wall Construction:</u>Wall construction was halted in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma ’ale Shomron settlement for Sabbath holiday.
<p>NABLUS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Til-Burin and Beit Furik-Salem; the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al Hatab to the settlement of Alon Moreh; the road connecting the town of ‘Aqraba to the village of Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma’in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut. (iii) Israeli military continue to close the south entrance of Qaryut village with earth mounds. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 17:40, Israeli forces intensified its restriction at Huwara checkpoint. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Nablus and Assira Al-Shimaliya (North Assira) until 15:25. (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Qussin village until 18:30. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 17:30, Israeli forces raided Orif village. (ii) At 22:15, Israeli forces raided Qusin village, stormed 2 homes, temporarily detained 2 residents: Ahmad Abd Rabbo and Abdel Karim Abd Rabbo and released them at 00:20.
<p>SALFIT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland. (ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from 08:00 until 09:20. (iii) Since 11:00 on July 30th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama’ located in western area of Deir Istiya with

	<p>cement blocks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Harris village until 09:25. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction was halted in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement for Sabbath holiday.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village. (ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road between Um Tuba and Al-Jass ; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road between Al-Khader and Beit Jala ; the road between Al-Khader and road #60 which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks. (iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. (iv) Since May 8th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires. (v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds. (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29th 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds. (vii) Since 14:00 on October 18th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Surif and Al-Jab'a village with dirt mounds. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 12:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Taqou' and temporarily detained Issa Ibiyat (A National Security Officer) then released him at 13:05. • <u>Raid:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 03:00 on October 26th 2013, Israeli forces raided Dar Salah village and summoned Ali Salim to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (ii) At 03:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Duhisheh camp in Bethlehem until 04:45. • <u>Physical Assault:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Walja village assaulted Imad Al-Jindi as he was farming his agricultural land leaving him hospitalised with contusions.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 21:10, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Khadr, set fire to agricultural land and as a result destroyed 70 Olive trees and uprooted 20 Olive trees owned by Musa Da'dou'. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Wall construction has continued in North West of Beit Jala town. (ii) On May 1st 2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village. (iii) On July 21st 2013, Israeli courts ordered the halt of construction of the wall in Al-Carmisan area in the west area of Beit Jalla.
HEBRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq Al-Far areas, as well as the old gold market in Hebron's Old City. In addition to closing the entrance to Al-Qeisi neighbourhood, the Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the area of Al-Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) with an electronic gate; Al-Laban Market also remains closed. (ii) Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them access to the area. . • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town. (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks. (v) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks. (vi) Since December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks. (vii) Since 09:45 on September 23rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the main road leading to "Haji" settlement and impeded the free flow of traffic • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Halhul bridge and detained a resident. (ii) At 18:15 and again at 23:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Fuwar camp. (iii) At 18:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Mar road located in south Hebron. (iv) At 19:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ithna . (v) At 22:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Urub camp, temporarily detained 4 residents including 3 National Security officers: Kamal Harbiya (National Security Officer), Mohammad Harbiya (National Intelligence Officer), Moath Al-Titi National Intelligence Officer) and Ashraf Jawabra. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On October 26th 2013, Israeli forces raided Safa village, occupied Rashid Abu Daya's home and converted its rooftop into a military post, clashed

	<p>with several residents and as a result left several residents suffocated from tear gas inhalation.</p> <p>(ii) At 10:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya and stormed 3 homes.</p> <p>(iii) At 00:50, Israeli forces raided Hebron until 01:40.</p> <p>(iv) At 02:05, Israeli forces raided Bani Na'im, detained a resident then withdrew at 05:40.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on October 26th 2013, Israeli forces detained 3 residents: Raed Al Ajouli, Wajih Al-Ajouli and Muafaq Al-Ajouli . (ii) Israel forces detained Thaer Al-Qawasmi near Halhul bridge. (iii) Israeli forces detained Nidal Sawalha in Bani Na'im. • <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> Since October 25th 2013, Israeli forces closed Al-Ibrahimi mosque and prevented the call for prayer from the afternoon of October 25th 2013 until 21:00 on October 26th 2013 for alleged Israeli celebration of Jewish holiday. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction was halted in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town for Sabbath holiday.
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<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 21:00 on November 21st 2012, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire. • On November 14th 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24th 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles. • Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.
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<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed. • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:30 on October 23th 2013, Israeli Naval Vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya. (ii) At 16:45 on October 24th 2013, Israeli Naval Vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya.
<p style="text-align: center;">GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. (ii) Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.

RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u>• Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.• Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed.• Sufa Crossing is closed.• Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed
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